



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	: Confirmation No. 6704
Susumu HONGO et al.	: Attorney Docket No. 2006_0305A
Serial No. 10/571,011	: Group Art Unit 3763
Filed March 8, 2006	: Examiner Pritesh Ashok Patel
MEDICAL USE SYRINGE	: Mail Stop: Amendment

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 3, 2009, a Petition for a one-month extension of time being submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
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